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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>  |  | Docket Number (Optional) 022193-16020 US |  |
| <b>FY 2005</b><br><i>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i> |  |  |  |
| Application Number 09,988,896  |  | Filed November 19, 2001                  |  |
| For METHOD AND CIRCUIT FOR DE-SKEWING DATA IN A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM                               |  |  |  |
| Art Unit 2667  |  | Examiner Prenell P. Jones                |  |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

|   | Fee    | Small Entity Fee |        |
|---|--------|------------------|--------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$120  | \$60             | \$ 120 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))           | \$450  | \$225            | \$     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))         | \$1020 | \$510            | \$     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))          | \$1590 | \$795            | \$     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))          | \$2160 | \$1080           | \$     |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 20-1430. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

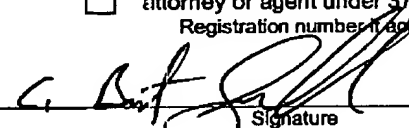
**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 41,516

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.  
Registration number tracing under 37 CFR 1.34 \_\_\_\_\_

  
 Signature

May 23, 2006  
 Date

C. Eart Sullivan, Reg. No. 41,516  
 Typed or printed name

415-576-0200  
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☐ Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

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